BEG FOR WATERWAYS DROPS THIRTEENTH LAWYER.

Over a Thousand Delegates Will Discuss Harbor Needs.

CANNON DOWN FOR SPEECH

John Sharp Williams and David B. Francis to Make Addresses at the Evening Session of Congress That \$50,000,000 a Year for Improvement.

Following an invocation by Bishop Satterlee, what is declared to be the greatest convention of its kind ever held in the United States, will be opened at the Arlington Hotel this morning by delegates to the National Rivers and Harbors Congress. Until midnight members of the exprogramme as given out are speakers many men of national importance.

Throughout yesterday and until late tucky to that effect." last night every train brought delegates from commercial, manufacturing, and agricultural organizations, together with many delegates from States, cities, and towns, will be present when the meeting opens at 10 o'clock.

The programme, as finally determined on by the executive committee, is divided into four distinct sessions. The first will last throughout the morning, the second is set for the afternoon, while the evening meeting is to be held in the National Rifles Armory, on G street.

Will Call at White House. Te-morrow morning will see the final gathering of the convention, and in the afternoon the delegates will be tendered a reception at the White House, at which President Roosevelt will deliver a short address. To-day's programme follows:

MORNING SESSION. Convention called to order by Harvey D. Goulder, resident National Rivers and Harbors Congress.

Prayer by Right Rev. Henry Yates Satterlee, the control of the control of

Bishop of Washington.
Addresses Harvey D. Goulder, president; Joseph
G. Cannou, Speaker, House of Representatives; T.
E. Burton, chairman Rivers and Harbors Commit-House of Representativ

Business-President Goulders will turn the convention over to Joseph Ransdell, chairman of the executive committee, National Rivers and Harbors Congress, which committee called this convention under authority conveyed to it by the last convertion of the congress. Report of chairman, Joseph I Ransdell; report of secretary and treasurer, J. I Ellison; appointment of committees. AFTERNOON SESSION.

Addresses—Joel Cook, chairman Joint Executive Committee Improvement Harbor of Philadelphia Committee Improvement Harbor of Philadelphia; Lawrence M. Jones, president Missouri River Im-rovement Association, Kanasa City, Mo.; John Fitz-gerald, mayor of Bostón, Mass.; John Barrett, United States Minister to Columbia; E. S. Conway, Chi-cago, Ill.; Bird S. Coler, president borough of Brocklyn, N. Y.; Albert Bettinger, vice president Obio; Gov, N. C. Blanchard, Baton Rouge, La.; J. N. Teal, Portland, Ore.; W. G. Sterett, Dallas, Tex. Special evening session, 8 o'clock, at National Rifles' Armory, G. street, between Ninth and Tenth

Come from All Over Country. Congressman Ransdell, of Louisiana, chairman of the executive committee of the congress, is delighted with the showing made by the advocates of water trans-

The convention will be a mile-stone in labor circles generally. swamped and the continuance of present not be told.

presperity is jeopardized." J. F. Ellison, secretary, said last night: "At our present congress we have represented twenty-seven States and 180 commercial organizations. We have here delegates from twenty-six mayors and four-

AUTO STOLEN IN STREET.

N. L. Francis Says the Machine Was Taken from Near Home.

reported at detective headquarters yes- wish to be heard. terday by N. L. Francis, of 1705 N street northwest.

WEATHER CONDITIONS.

U. S. Dept. of Agriculture, Weather Burcau, Washington, Wednesday, Dec. 5, 1996.—8 p. m. The western storm has reached Eastern Iowa and hereased somewhat in strength. It has caused rain in that region, and thence eastward to Pennsylvania. with snow in the Upper Lake region. In the South and west of the Rocky Mountains fair weather prevails, except that rain has fallen in the North Pacific coast States. The future course of the st will doubtless be northeastward down the St. Law-

For Thursday rain, with higher temperatures, is in dicated for the Middle Atlantic and New England States and the Lower Lake region. In the last-named district rain will turn into snow, with much r on Friday. In the remaining districts Friday be fair. It will be colder Friday in Atlantic

The winds along the New England and Middle At lantic coasts will be fresh and variable, becoming easterly and brisk Thursday night; on the South Atlantic coast fresh southwesterly; on the East Guift coast light to fresh southwesterly; on the West Guift

Storm warnings are displayed on the Great Lakes, Cold wave warnings have been issued for Montana, Wyoming, and South Dakota.

Maximum, 40; minimum, 25.

Relative humidity—8 a. m., 76; 2 p. m., 43; 8
p. m., 67. Rainfall, 0.04. Hours of sunshine, 0. Per ent of possible sunshine, 0. Temperature same date last year—Maximum, 39;

Temperatures in Other Cities. Temperatures in other cities, together with the

amount of rainfall for the p. m. yesterday, are as follo	twelve	e hour	s ended	at i
go and processing, and any point	Y 1797 A			Rain
	Max.	Min.	8 p. m.	fall
Asheville, N. C	56	32	52	
Atlanta, Ga	66	44	62	
Atlantic City, N. J	46	24	40	T,
Bismarck, N. Dak	10	6	8	T.
Boston, Mass	38	12	32	277
Buffalo, N. Y		26	26	0.0
Chicago, Ill	42	38	42	0.8
Cincumati, Ohio	58	23	58	0.0
Cheyenne, Wyo	40	30 -	- 38	0.8
Davenport, Iowa	42	36	42	0.0
Denver, Colo		- 38	50	T.
Des Moines, Iowa		40	46	0.0
Galveston, Tex		50	72	3200
Helena, Mont		20	38	T.
Indianapolis, Ind		58	56	0.0
Jacksonville, Pla	72	44	64	***
Kansas City, Mo	66	54	65	Y
Little Rock, Ark	74	56	70	T.
Marquette, Mich	22	20	20	9.00
Memphis, Tenn		00	- 73	T.
New Orleans, La	78	62	68	***
New York, N. Y		22	38	****
North Platte, Nebr	32	26	36	0.15
Omaha, Nebr		36	35	
Pittsburg, Pa	42	28	40	0.33
Salt Lake City Titah		31	40	

Mrs, Dudley's Suit Postponed to Let New Counsel Study Case. Kingston, N. Y., Dec. 5 .- Mrs. Edward Dudley's \$100,000 alienation suit against

Mrs. Elizabeth Bateele Vanderpoel was put over the present term of the Supreme Court by Justice Fitts to-day. Application for a postponement was nade by Mrs. Dudley's fourteenth lawyer,

E. S. Peck, of 52 Broadway, New York, who read an affidavit made by Mrs. Dudley, and asked for further time to tailiarize himself with the case. In effect Mrs. Dudley stated that she ad had serious disagreements with Car-

roll Whittaker, of Saugerties, N. Y., who is Lawyer No. 13, and he told her that if Will Ask National Legislature for she did not settle the suit he would have a so one of the suit he would have nothing more to do with it. Their differences were such, she alleged that she could not consult with him upon any matter whatever.

HARLAN NOT TO QUIT BENCH. Justice Decides to Remain Out of

Kentucky Governor Race. Justice John M. Harlan, of the United States Supreme Court, announced yester-"I reached that decision this morning," August.

the nomination, but owing to the appeals of his family, intimate friends, and col-leagues on the Supreme Court, he does not see his way clear to enter the race.

DROPS DEAD IN LIVERY STABLE Old Man Topples Over a Victim of Heart Failure,

Notley Nailor, fifty-six years old, while at the livery stable of Harry Beasley, at 208 Eleventh street northwest, yesterday posed to the attitude of the President, afternoon, was stricken with heart failure and those interested in the welfare of and died before medical assistance could the negro troops gave him loud praise. be given him.

Nailor, about a week ago, he had been ment he presents showing why the army very despondent, and had been receiving should have ridded itself of the three The Emergency Hospital ambulance was summoned, but Nailor died before it reached the hospital.

KEEP WATCH ON ASHION TRIAL

Labor Unions Show Interest in Outcome of Case.

Head of Navy Yard Employes Coming to City to Push Half Holiday Movement.

rought by the local bookbinders' union against Harry F. Askion, acting foreman of the bindery division of the Government Printing Office.

Special evening session, 5 o clock, at National Rifles Amony, G street, between Ninth and Tenth streets. David B. Forgan, Chicago, Hi.; James Tawney, M. C.; Gov. George C. Chamberlain, Oregon; George W. Guthrie, mayor of Pittsburg, Pa.; was a sentiment that the charge of violating bis outh property by one of the lating lating bis outh property by one of the lating lating bis outh property by one of the lating lating bis outh property by one of the lating lating bis outh property by one of the lating lating lating bis outh property by one of the lating lating lating bis outh property by one of the lating lating lating bis outh property by one of the lating binders working under him at the printing office—Alvin Tanner—would never be body of men, from 5 to 10 per cent of up by the union at its meeting Tuesday evening it became the all-absorbing topic of conversation in the big printery and

There are four penalties provided for the enward march of American commerce," he said last night. "The representative business men gathered here from severy section of the United States are in earnest in their demand that the nation develop a new system of transportation develop a new system of transportation to core for the transportation to core for the transportation to core for the transportation to commerce," he said last night. "The representative business men gathered here from the offense alleged in the constitution of the union, and if Mr. Tanner's contentions are sustained, the acting foreman will either be censured, fined, suspended, or the asks that if, during a time of war with Mexico, a dozen men of a battalion stationed at Fort Brown carried plans and ammunition to the enemy of the barracks, he thinks. "It is the same in a dog fight or any on the other side of the Pio Grande and the constitution of the union, and if Mr. Tanner's contentions are sustained, the acting foreman will either be censured, fined, suspended, or the sake that if, during a time of war with Mexico, a dozen men of a battalion stationed at Fort Brown carried plans and ammunition to the enemy of the propositional case of the union, and if Mr. Tanner's contentions are sustained, the acting foreman will be the offense alleged in the constitution of the union, and if Mr. Tanner's contentions are sustained, the acting foreman will be the offense alleged in the constitution of the union, and if Mr. Tanner's contentions are sustained, the acting foreman will be acting for the bigh school cadets. Several rifle ranges in the District the offense alleged in the constitution of the union, and if Mr. Tanner's contentions are sustained, the acting foreman will be acting for the same and the offense alleged in the offense alleged in the offense alleged in the offense alleged tion to care for the traffic that has taxed If a majority vote "fine," it will undoubt- on the other side of the Rio Grande, and kind of a battle," the admiral said last

complainant and defendant are practi"Can a real and logical distinction be country. cally all that remain before a vote will be made?" Secretary Taft inquires. "be approximately, to 59,000 words, is in. Fol-The loss of an electric automobile was

Francis said that he left the machine by the curb in front of his residence, and upon returning a short time afterward discovered that it was missing.

The daily persident of the league of Navy Yard Employes, is coming to this city about the middle of the month to push the Saturday half holiday and innocent alike, but by separating both the guilty and innocent from the service so as to downton the service service so as to downton the service mended to Congress by the President. Mr. Cain was instrumental in the incorporation in the message of these two recommendations, having had a long talk with the President several months ago. President J. L. Feeney, of the local Bookbinders' Union, received a letter from Mr. about December 17, and asking his co-operation in the work for this legislation.

Emmet Adams, president of the Central from Baltimore, where he was aiding the but certainly not a justification "for the

COGHLAN RETAINS CHARGE. Will Head Brooklyn Navy Yard, Although Retired.

Rear Admiral J. B. Coghlan, now com-

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OUTBREAK EQUAL TO TREASON

Secretary Declares in Annual Report That No Community Dares House Murderers-Asserts That No Step Other Than Dismissal Was Possible Under the Circumstances.

In an extract from his annual report less to the government as an instrument

from every section of the country and said Justice Harlan yesterday, "and I It disproves absolutely that there is ventured, upon the urgent appeal of per- the first murder?" sons interested in the dismissed troops, to suspend for a time the execution of the President's order directing the discharge of the soldiers, while he cabled asking if the case might be reconsidered.

This action on the part of the Secreous declarations that Mr. Taft was op-The report shows that he is in thorough Since the death of his brother, Harry B. accord with the President, and the argucompanies is undoubtedly strong. The report will go to Congress soon.

Guilty of Murder. Mr. Taft declared that the men who were guilty of murder in the first degree, in different parts of the country. and that their comrades who were not part in the conspiracy to murder were practice with the rifle.

ten to twenty of its members, and put on a front of silence and ignorance which The case had been delayed by repeated enables the criminals to escape just punpostponements, until public interest had ishment? These enlisted men took the whom can plan and commit murder, and rely upon the silence of a number of their companions to escape detection?"

Virtually Is Treason.

Further along in his report Secretary charges. Arguments of counsel for the er to prevent a repetition of the offense.

as all the testimony, amounting, imately, to 39,000 words, is in. Folowing the argument of counsel, the murder in this case? Both are capital of charges will be open to general debate by fenses, one, perhaps, more heinous than the members. This will undoubtedly take up much time, as there are many who government itself; but in both cases it Most Venerable Inhabitants Tell seems clear to me that the government must protect itself and the community to George L. Cain, president of the League which it is responsible, from a recurrence the employers' liability legislation recom- service, so as to deprive the guilty of a second opportunity for such a crime. even though this may result in incon venience and perhaps hardship to the in-

Secretary Taft declares that the sugcolor enters into the affair is that the racial feeling aroused between the sol-Labor Union, has returned to the city have furnished the cause and the motive, diers and the citizens of Brownsville may

Phraseology Unfortunate.

In speaking of the penalty, Secretary Atlantic coast firsh northwesterly; on the West Guir coast firsh northwesterly; on the Lower Lakes brisk casterly, shifting to westerly, and on the Upper Lakes brisk to high northwesterly.

Steamers departing Thursday for European ports will have fresh and variable winds and rainy weather to the Grand Banks.

The Grand Banks.

The captain in Dewey's fleet, who made t the guilty. mandant of the Brooklyn Navy Yard and the captain in Dewey's fleet, who made who were guilty." the report says,

or a new state of facts arise, from which it can be inferred that the public service will suffer no detriment from the re-entry of any one of these men into the service, his ineligibility can be removed by a mere Executive order."

James Croggin has in preparation a general history of that portion of the Chesapeake and Ohio Canal which once mere Executive order."

Might Be Reinstated.

discharged both from participation in the days fishing upon its banks. crime and assistance in the conspiracy offenders; and whenever such facts are next Friday night. shown in respect to any one affected by the order, they will be brought to your attention, and, I understand, will render such persons eligible to re-enlistment." know neither who the guilty men are nor cember 17. The commission yesterday be appropriated, in order that really sub-

nen in the battalion, must the govern ment continue to use it to guard com-munities of men, women, and children when it contains so dangerous an ele nent impossible of detection? Certainly

Approves President's Action in Discharging Soldiers. "When a man enlists in the army, he knows that, for the very purpose of protecting itself, the government reserves the absolute right of discharge, not as a mishment, but for the public safety interest. In such a case as this the in onvenience and hardship to those inno-ent of participation or knowledge arising from arbitrarily terminating the contraf enlistment in accordance with the right which the government by statute serves must be borne by them in the public interest.

Must Protect Communities. "It goes without saying that if the guilty could be ascertained, they should and would be punished; but the guilty cannot be ascertained, and the very im possibility makes the whole battalion use

complain that it is not a proper instru-ment for maintaining the supremacy of Ind., survive him. have written one of my friends in Kentucky to that effect."

Justice Harlan did not care to comment

Turther upon his declination lustice

Mr. Taff returned to Washington from

Mr. T to the meeting. Secretary J. F. Ellison further upon his declination. Justice Mr. Taft returned to Washington from were there to occur, could we relieve our said that at least 1,200 representatives the responsibility for it on the surrender at Appomattox. After while the President was in Panama, he theory that we could not detect the par- 1865 he engaged in the practice of law in

WOULD TEACH BOYS TO SHOOT

tary of War gave instant rise to numer- Admiral Baird Thinks Rifle Practice Is Necessary.

> Approves of President's Suggestion in Message That Schools Should Teach Use of Firearms.

Last, but not least, in his message to Congress, President Roosevelt advocated ment he has given much of his time to the promotion of rifle practice, and said the cultivation of flowers and plants, of did the shooting at the Brownsville raid that target ranges should be maintained which he had a thorough knowledge. The

Admiral G. W. Baird, president of the actually involved engaged in a conspi- board of education, is in favor of the racy to shield the criminals. He says establishment of rifle ranges in the Dis- last ten years, he had a great number of also that it is impossible that many of trict, where different clubs and societies friends in Washington, as was evidence the battalions who did not actually take may be able to hold tournaments and by the messages of condolence sent to his

other, of the identity of the persons who our regular army is so small, in case committed the offense. Secretary latt of a great war we should already reviews the facts, gives details of the mainly to volunteers, who should already know how to snoot.

Besides being a pensione, and of the Grand Army of the Republic, he should already belonged to several literary organizations. committed the offense. Secretary '1aft of a great war we should have to trust

There is renewed interest in the charges Must it continue in its service a battal- Scheutzen fest, which was abandoned a number of unpublished translations will ion, many of the members of which show some years ago on account of the one- be found among his papers, as he had their willingness to condone a crime of a mile limit law taking effect in the vicinity capital character committed by from of the old Soldiers' Home.

been making a close study of the minor German poets of late. With the opening of such a range, he is

of the opinion that rifle teams should be organized not only among the high school sistant Assessor of the District of Columpostponements, until public interest had isniment: These emisted men took the almost died a natural death, and there oath of allegiance to the government, and was a sentiment that the charge of vious to be used under the law to maintend the charge of vious took and other societies as well. Regular contests could be held from time to time, and the charge of vious took at Hagerstown, Md. each member of the various teams be Assessor H. H. Darneille, accompanied by

miral Baird has been in favor of sup-

to care for the traffic that has taxed railroads until to-day they are edly be over \$100, but just how much cannot be told.

If a majority vote "fine," it will undoubtedly be over \$100, but just how much cannot be told.

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The one who has the start dearly that a number of the men knew the gullty parties, but would not tell, a tompetent general would not hesitate for a moment to dishard the entire hattallon. Saturday evening, and has called a meeting to make final disposition of the and discharge it from the service, in ord-could answer to the call for arms and be of great benefit to the army of their

About Canals of Washington.

Testimonials from Calhoun and Stanton Concerning Colored Messenger Shown at November Meeting.

gestion made in some quarters that the relative to the old canals about Washaction had been taken because the men ington, were brought out at last night's water department. Cain yesterday, saying he would be here in it were black hardly merits notice. He meeting of the Oldest Inhabitants' Assoclation in the Corcoran Building. The two the Virginia side of the Potomac, were described in a short paper presented.

machinists of that city in fighting the inplot to murder men, women, and chilFalls was one mile long, eighteen feet year. wide, and twelve feet deep. The change in level was effected by six locks. The canal was dug out of the solid rock, and ick, and two sons—James, eleven years built by slave labor. Both canals were old, and T. Frederick, seven years of age. Taft says that it is a mistake to suppose built by slave labor. Both canals were that the order of dismissal in itself is a surveyed by George Washington a few punishment, either of the innocent or of years before he was elected President. "A discharge would be an He owned stock in them. The house of of whom expresed the utmost sorrow and one to represent them. They contend

Storm warnings are displayed on the Great Lakes.

Cold wave warnings have been issued for Montana, Wyoming, and South Dakota.

Local Temperatures.

Midnight, 28; 2 a. m., 25; 4 a. m., 27; 6 a. m., 25; a. m., 32; 5 p. m., 39; 6 p. m., 37; 8 p. m., 39; 10 p. m., 39; 6 p. m., 37; 8 p. m., 39; 10 p. m., 39; 6 p. m., 39; 6 p. m., 39; 8 p. m., 39; 10 p. m. posed by sentence by a court. This is a dying in 1864 while being carried from the Dr. W. P. Tudor, presiding elder of the "But the members of this battalion were not dishonarably discharged. They could not have been so discharged. They could not have been so discharged except after a trial. They were discharged for fidelity as an employe of the government. It was stated that the curious old docuphrase is, 'without honor.'"

They were discharged except added their testimony to his courtesy and fidelity as an employe of the government. It was stated that the curious old docuphrase is, 'without honor.'" "Should hereafter facts be disclosed, small tin box since Datcher's death, would

> ran through the city. Much of the evening was taken up by several of the mem-"It is possible that evidence may be adduced in future which will tend to exculpate entirely some of the men now discharged both from participation in the canal, and many of them had spent days fishing upon its bears.
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> "It is possible that evidence may be some in relating reminiscences of the ancient waterway. Most of those present Zone since 1899. The Panama Railroad in some sections is inundated from two to days fishing upon its bears."
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> Weeks having been discharged as recovered.
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> Of the 121 births reported, 71 were white and 50 colored. of silence to prevent the detection of the hold their December banquet at Freund's in the delay of work.

Probing Car Shortage.

The investigation of the Interstate of many. Because there may be innocent car shortage.

Literary Man Passes Away After Years of Ill-health.

ALVEY FUNERAL TO-MORROW

District Officials Will Act as Pallbearers-First Assistant Assessor Who Died in Frederick, Md., Had Been Prominent in Public Life for More than Eleven Years.

William Aydelott, one of the founders made public at the War Department, Sec- for maintaining law and order. The only of the Public Opinion magazine, and long retary Taft emphatically indorses the ac- means of ridding the military service of recognized as among the most intellection of President Roosevelt, when he or- a band of would-be murderers of women tual men in Washington, died at his dered the dismissal of three companies and children, and actual murderers of one home, at 1535 Fifteenth street northwest, dered the dismissal of three companies of the Twenty-fifth Infantry, colored, because of the participation of some of the cause of the company organizations and children, and actual murderers of one of the cause of the participation of some of the battalion. In which it is known that there ecutive committee of the congress were in session arranging the details. On the make the race for governor of Kentucky. years, and a brother in Green County,

served in the Indiana Light Artillery unicular ten or twenty who were guilty of Philadelphia, where he gained much prominence as a pleader.

When the Public Opinion was founded Mr. Aydelott accepted the position as literary editor, in which capacity he served until his health failed ten years ago. Since that time he had led a life of retirement and study, devoting particular attention to German literature, about which he was considered an authority. Many of his translations from the Gerthe best works of that kind by an American.

Was Fond of Botany. botanical research, and since his retiregarden of his home bore the fruits of this knowledge, and was remarkable for the beauty and taste of its products. While he rarely left his home during the

part in the conspiracy to murder were not aware by one circumstance or another, of the identity of the persons who our regular army is so small, in case our regular army is so small, in case of the identity of the persons who our regular army is so small, in case of the identity of the persons who our regular army is so small, in case of the identity of the persons who our regular army is so small, in case of the identity of the persons who our regular army is so small, in case of the identity of the persons who our regular army is so small, in case of the identity of the persons who our regular army is so small, in case of the identity of the persons who our regular army is so small, in case of the identity of the persons who our regular army is so small, in case of the identity of the persons who our regular army is so small, in case of the identity of the persons who our regular army is so small, in case of the identity of the persons who our regular army is so small, in case of the identity of the persons who our regular army is so small, in case of the identity of the persons who our regular army is so small, in case of the identity of the persons who our regular army is so small, in case of the identity of the persons who our regular army is so small, in case of the identity of the persons who is the identity of the pe

"Under these circumstances the ques- Admiral Baird believes that it would be to which he often contributed papers of tion arises, is the government helpless? a good idea to re-establish the old-time interest. It is thought by his friends that

T. Fred Alvey's Funeral.

The funeral of T. Fred Alvey, First As-The cadets of the District have rifles, several officials of the office, will attend the services.

Alvey was one of the best known offiplying them with a gun of the more mod- cials in the District Building, and news Frederick, where he had been taken several days before.

came worse until the end.

In Service Eleven Years, trict service July 1, 1895, as a clerk, and tures and the first payments for secretary to Mai. Sylvester.

tric Company, Later he returned to the for the purpose. District Building and was appointed a temporary clerk in the assessor's office, in a few days at the call of the chairman. Interesting reminiscences, with data 1901. Shortly afterward he was put on

August 1, 1903, Alvey was made assist- Barbers Discuss Opening of Shops on ant assessor. Early this year he was apcanals at Great Falls and Little Falls, on pointed assistant to the assessor, at a West as chairman of the board of asses-

Mr. Alvey is spoken of in the highest erms by the officials of the District

Kengla Killed in Arizona.

W. S. Kengla, son of the late Jacob ly at Cananea, Ariz., while operating a ag train. where he had resided for twenty-five He was forty-two years old, and shop at all. s survived by a wife and five children

W. S. Thompson's Funeral To-day. The funeral of W. S. Thompson, jr., who died at Aiken, S. C., last Monday, will Only Two Deaths in Week; Smallpox he held at II o'clock this morning from Methodist Church at Richmond, Va conduct the services. Interment will take place at Oak Hill Cemetery.

RAINS BLOCK CANAL WORK.

Engineer Stevens Wires Commission of Conditions on Isthmus.

The Isthmian Canal Commission received a dispatch yesterday from Chief chitis and convulsions, 3 each. Engineer Stevens stating that the great Engineer Stevens stating that the great rains of the past few days have caused the highest water along the Chagres fined at the hospital for the past few weeks having been discharged as recovery.

Mr. Stevens states that the heavy rain The members of the association will fall has caused no great damage, except

To Reimburse Catholic Church. The President sent a message to Congress yesterday, urging an appropriation Commerce Commission into the ques- of \$363,036, found by a commission, to be "It may be that in the battalion are a tion of the shortage in the supply of due the Roman Catholic Church in the of men wholly innocent, who cars will begin at Minneapolis on De- Philippines. He "hopes the money will any circumstances which will aid in their detection, though this cannot be true substance of the complaints made as to wise for Congress to exercise large liberlality," he says.

NEW SKYSCRAPER PLANNED.

Large Office Building to Be Erected

at Fifteenth and F. Announcement was made yesterday that a large business and office building will be rected on the northeast corner of F and Fifteenth streets northwest. W. O. N. Scott, who has charge of the property, has the project under consideration, and plans are said to be in preparation for the

structure. The lot has a frontage of fifty feet on Fifteenth street and sixty feet on F street. The building at present is under lease to Bryan & Co., who will occupy it until the completion of the new structure at Fourteenth and F streets, when they will move to rooms leased in that build-

It is understood that active steps for the building on the Fifteenth street corner will not be made for about a year.

"WINNIE DAVIS" THE WINNER.

Doll Named for First Daughter of C. S. A. Victor at Bazaar..

'Winnie Davis," a beautiful dollbaby dressed in the costume in vogue in the early '60's, was the feature of the bazaar held for the last three days in Confederate Veteran's Hall. She had plenty of rivals in dolis of every size and description, but she was unanimously voted the first lady of the doll booth.

The affair is under the direction of Stonewall Jackson Chapter, United Daughters of the Confederacy, and the proceeds will go to swell the fund being raised for the erection of a monument to the Confederate dead in the Arlington National Cemetery.

SEAMEN REPRIEVED.

President Commutes Sentence of Ne-

groes to Life Term. Upon the recommendation of the Attorney General, President Roosevelt has decided to commute to life imprisonment man have been published, and have the sentence of death passed upon Argained universal recognition as among thur Adams and Robert Sawyer by the Federal court in North Carolina.

Adams and Sawver are negroes who utinied and killed the officers and part Besides his literary attainments, Mr. of the crew of the steamer Henry Ber-Aydelott displayed a marked fondness for wind on the high seas en route from Philadelphia to Cuba two or three years

CITY MUST TURN BUILDER

No Room Under Exposition Roof for Municipal Exhibit.

Report of Chairman Smith Will Result in Change of Plans for Display at Jamestown Show.

Chairman Thomas W. Smith yesterday eported to the joint committee on the Jamestown Exposition the result of his rip to Norfolk to secure space for the mmercial exhibit and to confer with the management about the municipal exhibit. Mr. Smith reported that the directors of the exposition had refused absolutely to allow the municipal exhibit to be placed in the Building of Manufaccres and Liberal Arts, and that the plans of the committee and the District commissioners would have to be essentially modified.

ern type, and which are of less weight than those now in their possession. He will suggest that Krag-Jorgensens be death was fue to acute Bright's disease, and occurred at the City Hospital at the C The exposition management suggested pinted out upon the gr site upon the water front for such a Mr. Alvey had not been well for some structure. Mr. Smith believes the solutime, though he attended to his duties at tion of the problem to be that the Disthe office until Saturday. When he left for Frederick to visit his family he appeared in good health, and it was believed he He was taken sick Sunday, and upon those of the States upon the grounds. emoval to the hospital, suffered several Mr. Smith stated that he had yesterday onvulsions. Gradually, his condition be- presented the matter before the Commissloners, and they now have it under con-

sideration. Fred. Alvey was a son of former Mr. Smith reported that he had ob-Chief Justice Richard A. Alvey, of the tained from the management of the ex-District Court of Appeals. He was born position forms of application for space District Court of Appeals. He was born in Hagerstown, Md., thirty-six years ago. Upon his removal to Washington at an early age, he received his education in the ecal public schools. He entered the Dis- see the exhibitors, obtain their signaeventually became private secretary to and report to the committee. With this Commissioner George Truesdell. Later he was transferred to the police departin the was transferred to the police departin the Building of Manufactures and ment, and for several years was private Liberal Arts, on which it holds an option. One of the principal suggestions offered Severing his connection with the gov-ernment service, he entered upon duties municipal exhibit was that the White with the Washington Railway and Elec- House should be reproduced in miniature committee will meet again within

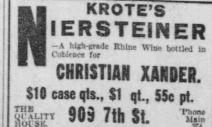
Thanksgiving. salary of \$3,000 a year. Just a short time ago he was selected by Commissioner action taken on Thanksgiving Day in re-Discussion of holiday closing and the moving the union cards from shops that sors to take effect on the first of next opened was the chief business before Barker Union No. 239 last night. Much feeling was aroused, and the arguments were bitter. It is not known just what He is survived by a wife, who is the feeling was aroused, and the arguments daughter of Judge McSherry, of Freder- were bitter. It is not known just what action was taken, or what will be done about the shops whose union cards were taken down Thanksgiving Day. The masbullding, and his associates in office, all ter barbers were not notified, and had no that they could not afford to close their shops all day on a holiday, which is al-Kengla, of Washington, was killed recent- ness standpoint, and it would be a great inconvenience to their patrons. Thanksgiving Day the master barbers declared a half a day vacation, but their cards were taken down because they opened

TYPHOID FEVER ON DECLINE. Disappears.

Improvement is shown in typhoid fever enditions by the report of the health department submitted to the Commissioners yeserday. There were 2 deaths in the week, 15 new cases were reported, and 23 discharged as recovered. Among the principal causes of deaths

during the past week were pneumonia, 13;

heart disease, 12; consumption, 10; kidney disease, 7; malignant growths, 8; apoplexy, 8; diarrheal diseases, 4; bron-The District is again free from small-



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monston.
Funeral services on Friday. December 7, at 11 a.
m., at the residence, 855 Eleventh street north-west. Interment private. Kindly omit flowers. HAVARD-On Monday, December 3, 1906, at 10:15 p. m., Miss SUSAN HAVARD, widow of Lecp. m., Miss SUSAN HAVARD, widow of Leo-pold Havard, aged seventy-six years.

Funeral from her late residence, 1013 H street northwest, Thursday, December 6, at 10 o'clock a. m. Relatives and friends respectfully invited.

nterment private. (Rockville, Md., papers please copy.) Ickenna—On Tucsday, December 4, 1906, at 11 p. m., Margarett, beloved wife of the late John McKenna. Notice of funeral herafter.

MEHRLING—On Tuesday, December 4, 1906, at 6
a. m., MARY ELLEN, beloved wife of Daniel
Mehrling, in her sixty-eighth year.
Funeral Thursday, December 6, at 2 o'clock p. m.,
from the residence of her daughter, Mrs. Charles
Long, 474 I street southwest. Relatives and
friends invited to attend.

SULLIVAN—On Tuesday, December 4, 1906, at 6:25 p. m., JOHN R., beloved son of Nora and the late Redmond Sullivan.

Funeral from his late residence, 1142 Twenty-third street northwest, on Friday, December 7, at 8:39 a. m. Requirem mass at St. Stephen's at 9 o'clock a. m. Relatives and friends invited. THOMPSON—On Monday merning. December 3, 1906, at Aiken, S. C., WILLIAM S., husband of Nettie Simms Thempson and son of Annie O. and the late William S. Thompson, in the

forty-fifth year of his age. Owing to delay in arrival of train, funeral services will be held from his late residence, 620 M street northwest, Thursday, December 5, at 11 a, m, Relatives and friends invited. Interment private.

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